

Nebraska Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Who we are:

A state agency designed to serve people in Nebraska who are deaf and hard of hearing. In June 1995, Legislative Bill 25 created a Mental Health Specialist position within the Commission to ensure full access to comprehensive mental health, alcohol and drug abuse services for deaf and hard of hearing people.

What we do:

Provide resources and information to mental health care providers regarding technology and other accommodations for deaf and hard of hearing people. Training seminars on working with deaf and hard of hearing people are also available as is assistance on intervention programs.

Provide consumer consultations by mental health specialists knowledgeable about hearing loss and deafness.

Why you should contact us:

Promote and advocate for culturally appropriate mental health services for deaf people.

Provide information, technical assistance, and loan of assistive devices.

Provide Video Conferencing services for deaf and hard of hearing people in Nebraska.

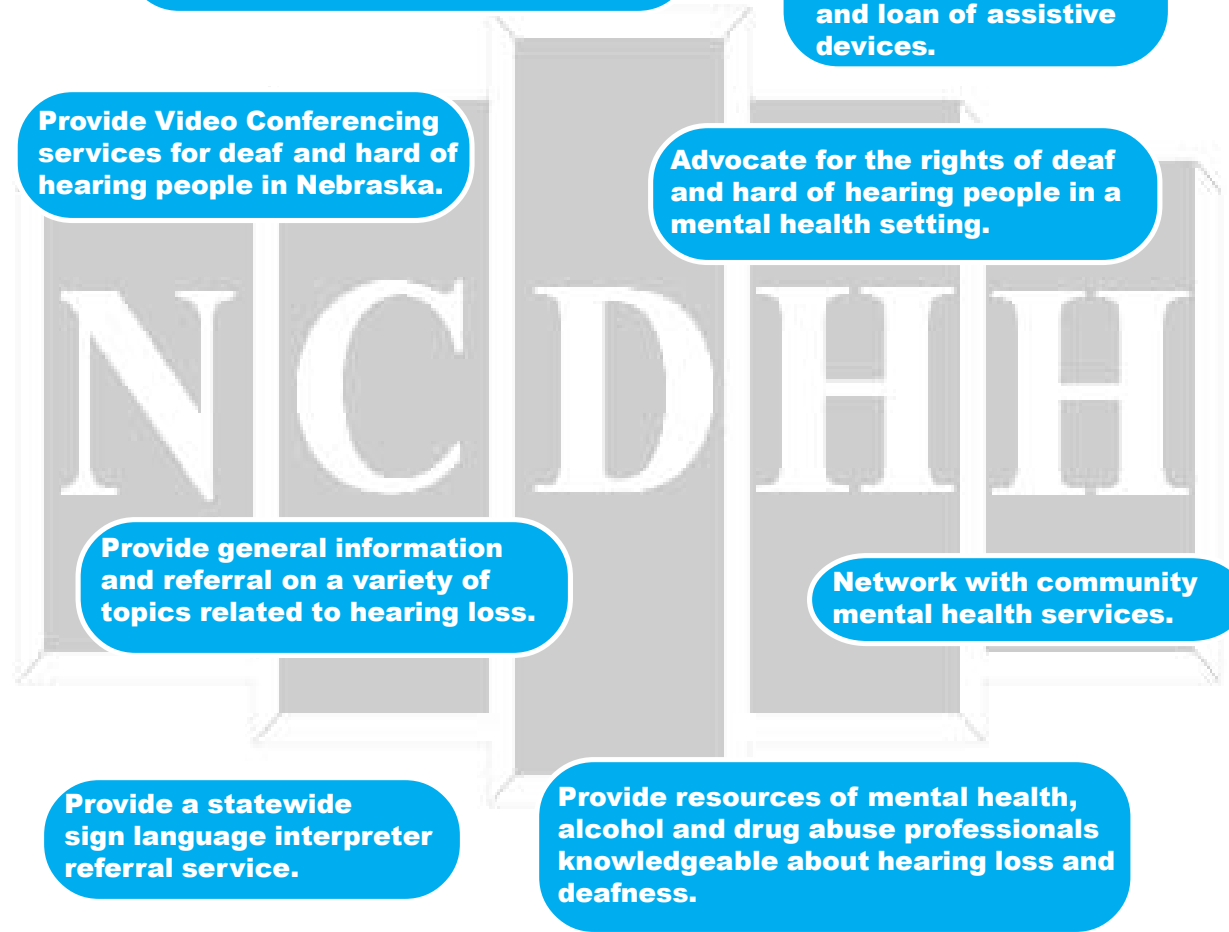
Advocate for the rights of deaf and hard of hearing people in a mental health setting.

Provide general information and referral on a variety of topics related to hearing loss.

Network with community mental health services.

Provide a statewide sign language interpreter referral service.

Provide resources of mental health, alcohol and drug abuse professionals knowledgeable about hearing loss and deafness.





Mental Health Services

Provides input into what is needed to support accessible mental health services for deaf and hard of hearing people.

Mission Statement

Serves as a resource on mental health services for deaf and hard of hearing people in Nebraska. Our mission is to assist providers, consumers and the general public in accessing comprehensive mental health, alcoholism, and drug abuse services by promoting awareness of communication, prevention/intervention and rights of deaf and hard of hearing people.

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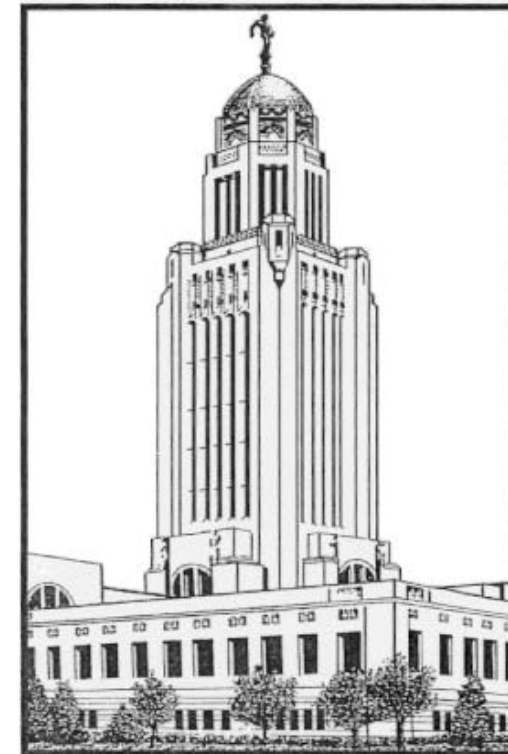
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